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THE CRIMINAL RECORD.

Remarkable Confession Made by a Milwaukee Man.

TWO INNOCENT PEOPLE SUFFERED.

Patrick Toohey Says He Shot a Street Car Driver and Innocent Men Were Imprisoned for the Crime—Iowa Farmers Swindled by a Couple of Smooth Insurance Agents—Dastardly Deed of a Rejected Suitor—Foul Assassination.

MILWAUKEE, July 31.—In March, 1884 William Puetz and Mahlon McCullough were sentenced to the state prison, the former for three years and six months and the latter for three years and three months, for the shooting and attempted robbery of August Grothe, a street car driver. After serving all but a few months of their term they were pardoned by Governor Rusk at the instance of Father Decker, who confided to the governor a confession made to him which satisfied him of the innocence of Puetz and McCullough. The name of the man was never divulged by Father Decker because the admissions were made in the sanctity of the confession, and now, after the lapse of seven years, the name of the man has been publicly divulged. Patrick Toohey, a brother of ex-District Attorney John Toohey, appeared at the office of D G Rogers, one of the attorneys who appeared for the defense in the trial of Puetz and McCullough and there repeated the confession he had seven years ago made to Father Decker. He said he had shot the street car driver, and that his accomplices in the attempted robbery were Bill Rockaway and Val Dooley, two rolling mill employes.

The Evidence Was Circumstantial.

Puetz and McCullough were arrested on suspicion shortly after the attempted robbery. On the trial the evidence against them was mostly circumstantial outside of a confession which the two boys—neither being over 20 years of age—were alleged to have made, and which was allowed in evidence. On the witness stand both Puetz and McCullough denied the truth of the confession, claiming that it had been wrung from them by the detectives, declaring that they had been beaten, starved, hung up by the thumbs, and otherwise abused. Both were respectably connected, and their relatives attempted to prove an alibi by swearing that both were at home at the time of the robbery. The jury found them guilty however, and the detectives who secured their conviction received a reward of $500 from the street railway company. Toohey, in his confession claims to have left the city after the attempted robbery and shooting, and did not return until after Puetz and McCullough were convicted.

Say Toohey Is Crazy.

Shortly afterward he was arrested for burglary, and it was while serving a term in the house of correction that he made the confession to Father Decker. Shortly after his release he left the city and only recently returned. His public confession at this time he says is to free his own mind and confirm the innocence of Puetz and McCullough. McCullough died shortly after he was pardoned from consumption, which it is claimed, he contracted while in prison. Grothe, the street car driver, is living in Chicago and is a mental wreck as a result of the assault. Grothe's wife became insane from the effects of the shock, and afterward died. Dooly and Rockaway, whom Toohey implicates with him, deny all connection with the affair, and assert that Toohey is crazy.

IOWA FARMERS SWINDLED.

How Insurance Agents Get Them to Take Out Policies.

MASON CITY, Ia., July 31.—A clever swindle is being practiced upon farmers of Hancock and adjacent counties. A couple of men acting as agents for an insurance company of Brooklyn go to the county records and procure a list of good farms incumbered by mortgages. With this list they make themselves familiar with the circumstances of the person they have singled out and approach him with the information that he is paying too much interest on his loan.

Unable to Get the Money

They offer to lift his old mortgage and put him on a new one at a very low rate of interest, but to do that it will be necessary to take out a policy of insurance in their company on his buildings. If the victim bites the buildings are written upon for an amount generally exceeding their value at a very high rate. They get their pay in cash or in a bankable note in advance. The application for insurance is accepted but "owing to the failure of the company with whom they expected to obtain the loan they are unable to get him the money." As a result the man has been induced to insure his buildings at perhaps double the usual cost, and may have canceled a better policy.

Did He Poison the Girl?

IRON MOUNTAIN, Mich., July 31.—Flora Greenall, a very handsome French girl, about 20 years old, lies at the point of death from the effects of poison administered, it is alleged, by John Bargo, a rejected admirer. Tuesday night he used a revolver to intimidate Flora into marriage, and threatened to poison her, if she refused. She fainted and has been in convulsions ever since, with the exception of an hour, when she called for a justice of the peace and accused Bargo of poisoning her. Doctors are working to save her life. Bargo is in jail and bail is refused. Flora has been unconscious almost continually since Tuesday night.

Telegraph Operator Assassinated.

PETERSBURG, Va., July 31.—A most cowardly and brutal murder was committed some time Wednesday night just outside of Suffolk, this state, a town on the Norfolk and Western railroad, the victim being John Eppest, manager of the Western Union telegraph office at that place, whose body was found Thursday morning where he was shot. The murderer who fired the fatal shot was concealed in a cluster of bushes, but who the guilty party was is not known. Two negro women have been arrested on suspicion of being implicated in the murder.

Great Blaze in Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, July 31.—A disastrous fire which broke out in Grundy street destroyed many thousands of bales of cotton which were stored in a warehouse on that street. The flames spread rapidly and before the fire was placed under control, property to the amount of $250,000 had been consumed.

NIEDRINGHAUS STIRRED UP.

He Insists That He Will Bring Tinplate Workers from Abroad.

ST LOUIS, July 31.—The Hon. F G. Niedringhaus has been considerably stirred up by the attitude of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers, and evidently fears that he is not going to have as easy a time as he expected in importing his workmen. Nevertheless he still insists that he will bring his tinmakers from abroad. Mr Niedringhaus referred to the charge that he would discriminate against American workmen because he hoped to get foreign contract labor cheaper, and said: "You can make the following offer as coming direct from me. If there are any tinplate rollers anywhere in this country who want employment I will guarantee to pay them just double the wages they are receiving anywhere else, no matter where, or double the wages they ever did receive for this work, either in this country or Europe.

Where the Trouble Lies

"That offer ought to settle this question, ought it? They state that the duty is 70 per cent. Well, I'll just pay the workmen 100 per cent more than they have ever obtained, so that they will therefore not only get the full benefit conferred by the duty, but a little more. Ought not that to show that I am willing to encourage American labor? But there's none to encourage in the manufacture of tinplate, and that's just the trouble."

He said he had made repeated efforts to secure skilled labor in this country, but could find none.

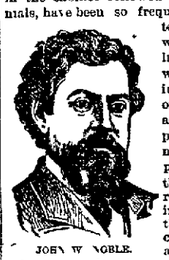
Owen's Decision Reversed.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Secretary Foster has written a letter to Mr Niedringhaus of St Louis reversing the decision given by Commissioner Owen, and stating that the department will not decide whether Niedringhaus can import tinplate workers until he imports some. The tenor of the secretary's letter is against the importation.

HAS NOBLE STEPPED DOWN?

Report That the Secretary of the Interior Has Resigned His Office.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Rumors that Secretary Noble had resigned his position in the cabinet followed by positive denials, have been so frequent during his term of office, it would seem that little credence would be placed in other reports of the same character, but the positive announcement printed Friday that Mr Noble's resignation was in the hands of the president created a flurry among the political gossips and set tongues wagging as to the probable truth or falsity of the report.



JOHN W NOBLE.

The Same Old Story

Mr Noble is at Richfield Springs and his house in this city is closed while there is no person at the White House to give any definite information on the subject. A prominent Republican who read the announcement in a morning paper hurried to the interior department Friday forenoon and had a conversation with Acting Secretary Chandler about the report, and Mr Chandler gave him to understand that from what he knew of the secretary's desires the report was groundless. Mr Dawson, the chief clerk of the interior department, was also asked concerning the story and he replied in positive terms that it was "without foundation" and characterized it as "the same old story."

Parnell Will Appeal

LONDON, July 31.—The announcement is made that Parnell will take an appeal from the judgment which ordered him to pay $5,000 costs in the O Shea divorce suit. A few days since the registrar in the London bankruptcy court decided that Parnell's objection to Captain O'Shea's notice to pay the costs in the recent divorce proceedings on the ground that he was not a resident in England was untenable. It therefore only remained for Mr Parnell to appeal pay the costs, or be declared a bankrupt.

Gray Is Against Parnell.

DUBLIN, July 31.—Mr E Dwyer Gray, part owner of The Freeman's Journal, publishes a letter in that paper in which he says that, in view of the revelations made during the progress of the suit for libel of Henry Campbell, member of parliament for South Fermaugh and private secretary to Parnell against the Cork Daily Herald and the utterances of Dillon and O Brien, he will henceforth reject Mr Parnell's attempt to retain the leadership of the Irish National party.

Assignment of a Loan Company.

NEWBURYPORT, Mass., July 31.—The Continental Loan and Security has assigned for the benefit of its creditors. The capital stock of the company is given at $1,000,000. Offices were located at Boston, New York, and Denver. The company was organized about three years ago as the Denver Land and Security company, but the name was changed to Continental Loan and Security company. It is believed that the creditors will all be paid.

A Street Railway Strike in Prospect

BOSTON, July 31.—Over 1,400 conductors and drivers of the west end street railway have enrolled themselves as members of the Federation of Labor, and it is claimed that within the week 90 per cent of the men in these departments will have joined the Federation. The men say they have many grievances which they will place before the railway company within a few weeks.

Heavy Rain at Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, July 31.—A terrific thunderstorm, accompanied by torrents of rain, did considerable damage in this city Wednesday night. The windows of the temporary city hall had been left open and the water poured through all the seven stories, soaking the plastered ceilings and drenching many valuable documents. Two inches of rain fell in two hours.

Was Not a Heavy Robbery.

KOUNTZ, Tex., July 31.—The amount of the missing express package has been made good by the company, and T M Tanner who was agent for Wells, Fargo & Co., was discharged. The agent claims he put up a package containing $73.98 and left it on his desk to go to dinner. On his return it was gone. The officials are still at work on the case.

TALK WITH QUAY

He Wanted to Resign the Republican Committee Chairmanship Long Ago

PHILADELPHIA, July 31.—Senator Quay arrived at the Continental hotel Thursday evening from Washington. In an interview on his resignation from the national Republican committee, he said: "I was mainly desirous of relinquishing the chairmanship, and in order to do that it was necessary that I should withdraw entirely from the committee. I had previously made several attempts to resign.

Wouldn't Resign Under Fire

"I first made up my mind to withdraw on the Saturday night following the presidential election of 1888. I was persuaded not to carry out my purpose at that time. In March, 1890, while in Florida I wrote Mr Clarkson asking him to call the committee together to consider my resignation. Shortly after this the attacks began on me and of course I could not resign under fire. Recently I concluded that the time had arrived where I could properly sever my connection with the committee and I did so."

Payne Will Not Accept

MILWAUKEE, July 31.—Chairman Henry C Payne, who has been chosen by the newspapers to succeed Dudley as treasurer of the national Republican committee, said Thursday that under no circumstances would he accept the position, although he was not sure it would be tendered him. Mr Payne is in favor of Chicago as the place for the next national convention.

GONE WITH A HANDSOMER MAN.

How a California Woman Hoodwinked Her Liege Lord

SAN FRANCISCO, July 31.—About two months ago Mrs J A. Winninger, wife of a prominent business man of Woodland, was reported drowned at Santa Cruz. Now, however, the woman has been located in this city with another man and her husband has begun divorce proceedings. The case is noteworthy because of the clever work by the woman to conceal her actions. She went to the seaside for her health in company with a female friend. She was seen talking with a man just before she went in bathing.

A Boat Was in Waiting.

After that she was seen no more, and the fact that all her clothes were in the bath house led at once to the theory of suicide, which was strengthened by a letter left for her husband saying she was tired of life. It now appears she was taken from the water by her lover in a boat and brought in disguise to this city where she has since been living. About two weeks ago Winninger learned she was alive and received a note from her to call. Reconciliation would probably have been effected because of a 3-year old child had not the woman stated that she had gone with a handsomer man whose name she declined to give. Her husband then began divorce proceedings.

Cardinal Gibbons Narrow Escape

BALTIMORE, July 31.—While Cardinal Gibbons was out riding in his carriage Thursday afternoon along the Mount Royal drive in Druid Hill park the horses two bays became frightened and started on a run down the drive a short distance south of the Druid lake. The driver, James Martin, fell on to the reins, though the horses were going at a break neck speed. At the Mount Royal exit on North avenue the driver ran the horses against the stone gates causing them to fall. The cardinal then stepped out and talked to the driver by the hand praised him for his coolness. The horses were slightly cut on the legs and the carriage tongue was broken.

They Drank Wood Alcohol

MIDDLEBORO, Mass., July 31.—Several of the workmen in the paint shop of the chair manufacturing department at the state farm at Bridgewater just over the line have been drinking wood alcohol, used in that shop on the sly and as a consequence it is said one of the men died last Tuesday another on Wednesday and a third now lies in the hospital in a critical condition. The officials of the institution have been very quiet about the matter.

For Governor of Illinois

TUSCOLA, Ills., July 31.—Andrew J Hunter of Paris having received much encouragement from his friends and the press throughout Illinois has formally announced himself as a candidate for the office of governor on the Democratic ticket next year. Judge Hunter is one of the ablest speakers in the party and is an untiring worker. He ran for congress in the Fifteenth district in 1884, but was defeated by Joseph Cannon.

Freaks of a Supposed Murderer

LYNN, Mass., July 31.—A man believed to be murderer McArthur who recently escaped from the Dover jail, is terrifying the community of Pine Hills by chasing children, milking the farmers' cows in the open fields, and committing other overt acts. The man makes his headquarters in the woods but, although the police have scoured the woods for the past few days, no trace of him can be found.

Ordered to Return to Work

HARRISBURG, Pa., July 31.—President Weihe, of the Amalgamated association, decided Thursday, after conferring with the strikers that the men had violated the laws of the association by striking without the sanction of that body, and must return to work. The men appointed a committee to wait upon the president of the Pennsylvania Steel company to arrange a speedy settlement of the matter.

Manley to Run for Congress

AUGUSTA, Me., July 31.—It is authoritatively stated here that Hon J H Manley, postmaster at Augusta, will be a candidate to represent congress for this district. Governor Burleigh is already in the field, and Hon Seth L Milliken, the present incumbent, wants renomination. It is said Mr Blaine favors Manley's candidacy.

Fatal Collision in the Channel.

LONDON, July 31.—News has been received here of a fatal collision in the English channel off Dover. The steamer Godmundling collided with and sank the Norwegian schooner Lorma. Eight persons were drowned. No details of the unfortunate affair are yet to hand.

"Black Pearl" Sent to Workhouse.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 31.—Judge Mahoney, in the municipal court Thursday, awarded "Black Pearl," the pugilist, thirty days at the workhouse for endeavoring to force an entrance into Ida Dorsey's abode Wednesday night.

ADDRESSED BY INGALLS

Six Thousand People Listen to the Kansas Man.

"ALL PUBLIC MEN ARE COWARDS,"

Because They Are Afraid to Express Themselves on Burning Questions—Some Things He Dare Not Talk About in Wisconsin—Kansas Prohibition—The Anglo-Saxon Habit of "Getting There," Right or Wrong—Accumulation of Wealth—The Ballot as a Weapon.

MADISON, Wis., July 31.—In Senator John J Ingalls spoke to 6,000 people at the Monona Lake assembly today, on the problems of our national history. He opened by saying that in public station are cowards. He included the speaker himself, when in public life. They are cowards in the sense of not daring to express themselves on public questions. In Wisconsin the speaker would not dare to say what he thought about the immigration question for fear of offending the foreign vote. There are 15,000,000 foreign born citizens in the United States. Many of them would make very good foreigners in the lecturer's opinion. What we will do with them is one of the problems of the century. Some think that since they are obliged to live here twenty one years before voting the naturalization laws ought to be modified.

Ingalls's Style of Prohibition

Another question about which the lecturer cared to say little in Wisconsin was the prohibition question. This was true although he came from a prohibition state and was a Prohibitionist in that he never took a drink unless he wanted it. Although Kansas has been a prohibition state since 1881 there is no place that one can not freely obtain intoxicating liquors and in the cities the bulk of the expenses of municipal government are paid by taxes on the saloons in the shape of fines. The immigrants of 1620 were of the grandest race on the earth. They were also the most arrogant and rapacious. They believed in the right of every man to the exercise of his own powers and opinions. They fell first on their knees then on the aborigines and afterward on the Chinese.

"The Anglo Saxon's Name Is Legion"

They also fell on the African, and their dealings with that race forms one of the bloodiest chapters in the history of the world. The Anglo Saxon race, he maintained, has not always respected the rights of others but it has always known what it wanted. It has always got there. Its name has been legion and in comparison the names of all other races have been Dennis. After paying an extended tribute to the marvelous material prosperity of this country under the influence of the Anglo Saxon, the speaker said that its development in democracy possible. It is a mistake to suppose said he that material advancement comes from political liberty. Freedom implies not only the right to do a thing, but the power to do it.

Is Our Political System a Failure?

The greatest increase of wealth in the United States has been in the last thirty years, and in spite of a great civil war. No without mentioning this, man today asserts that competition is a principle in nature. For the first time some say that we should have patriotism instead of individualism. We are threatened with organized robbery in the guise of justice. The speaker admitted that it was one right but it seems strange that at the opening of the second century of our country's history we should be met with the assertion that our political system was a failure.

Great Change in Conditions

It was a serious question but confronted us. George Washington when he died was the richest man of his time and his whole fortune footed up only $80,000. Now many men have a larger income than this one man had as a larger income. Social conditions have also changed. We have 5,000,000 people who do not know the sensations of hunger from one year's end to the other. There should be an inquiry as to how these great wrongs can be rectified.

If 50,000 men control half of the wealth of this country what is to prevent one man from getting control of all of it. When used by those who feel a sense of resentment and injustice the ballot is the most formidable weapon ever put in human hand. There is an awakening to this fact and when it fully comes one chapter of our nation's history will be closed and another begun.

LIGHTNING STRIKES A CHURCH

Nearly Every Member of the Congregation Electrified

OSBORN, Ga., July 31.—While 200 people were assembled at Tower High Tower church, near here on last Sunday, a stroke of lightning fell near the church and glancing from the ground where it struck, proceeded to play havoc with the congregation. Two or three currents seemed to enter the church and in an instant they threw everything into confusion. Benches were upset and the floor covered with people variously affected by the stroke. Some were knocked senseless while others had their clothes and shoes torn from their bodies. Many were burned and streaks and marks were left on their bodies where the current touched them.

Only One Fatality, and That a Horse.

Nearly every one in the congregation bears marks of lightning. Ex State Senator J W Foster was knocked senseless and on recovering found marks on his legs and body. Strange to say no one was killed though many were rendered temporarily unconscious. A horse which was standing on the opposite side of the church from where the lightning first struck was killed outright.

Another Curious Lightning Freak.

PLEASANTVILLE, N J., July 31.—While the 5:30 p m Philadelphia express was standing at the West Jersey station here last evening during a severe electrical storm a flash of lightning came in through an open car window and struck a lady passenger on the foot, without however doing much damage.

The Alton Boycott Broken

CHICAGO, July 31.—The Chicago and Grand Trunk railroad notified the Chicago and Alton yesterday that it would no longer participate in the boycott which for almost six months the eastern lines have carried on against the Alton. The struggle for Grand Army business from Chicago to Detroit precipitated the Grand Trunk's action.

THE POLITICAL CHESS BOARD.

Comments as to the Influence of Erhardt's Resignation Therein

WASHINGTON, July 31.—One of the best kept political secrets on record is the resignation of Collector Erhardt of New York which, instead of being sent on only the other day, had been in President Harrison's hands for six weeks before the fact of the resignation was allowed to transpire. Secretary Foster was much tickled Wednesday when reporters called upon him to inquire into that "rumored" resignation of Erhardt. Yesterday when asked if the resignation really was in hand so long, he said: "Yes, his resignation was in the president's hands before I went out to Ohio." Erhardt's statement of why he resigned contains the assertion that the New York custom house is run "at the dictation of a private individual" and the newspapers here immediately named the "private individual" Hon Thomas B Platt, of New York.

As Viewed by Politicians

Politicians see in the appointment of Fassett a shrewd political move to insure a Harrison representation in the national executive committee and at the same time offset the retirement of Quay and Dudley. They say that by selecting Fassett, who is a member of the national Republican committee, from Elmira, New York the president secures representation in the committee and at the same time secures a man who will be satisfactory to Hiscock and Platt in New York, and make the chances of a Harrison delegation from New York very much improved. All this carries with it the idea that Platt secured Fassett's appointment.

Platt Not Running the Office

"Were the reasons assigned the same which he [Erhardt] gave to the press last night?" a reporter asked Secretary Foster.

"Substantially the same. He had an idea that Mr. Platt was interfering with the appointments of subordinates in the custom house. I don't know just what special ground he based the complaint on. Mr Platt has not interfered in anything of the sort since I became secretary of the treasury. I fancy the feeling between the two gentlemen was of long standing. The reason why the resignation was not filed or acted on, however after the receipt of the letter had been in the president's hands for some time. I refer to the cutting down of the custom house force.

Had to Cut Down Expenses

"We were obliged, on account of the refusal of congress to make adequate appropriations to economize on all sides. We entered into correspondence right and left and the collectors generally to whom we applied signified their willingness to submit to reductions. Colonel Erhardt stood out however asserting that he could not get along with a smaller force and do the business of his office properly. We sent special agents to investigate the matter, and on the strength of their report we decided to reduce expenses in New York by some $80,000 a year. Colonel Erhardt took this very much to heart, I believe."

Fassett Pushed by Nobody

"Is Mr Fassett still Mr Platt's choice for the office?"

Mr Fassett's appointment was decided on by the president to the best of my knowledge without anybody pushing him. The president has had him in mind for some time, has canvassed his merits fully, and has appointed him because he regards him as the best man for the place.

The New Illinois Member

The selection of William Campbell as the Illinois member of the national executive committee cuts considerable ice here. It is generally conceded by politicians that Campbell will be at least an anti Harrison man and probably a Blaine man, though he will do it as a matter of local pride. This sentiment offsets to a considerable extent the move made by the president Wednesday in the appointment of Fassett, as he is also one more sure anti-Harrison man in the committee.

CLEVER TRICK OF A DETECTIVE

A Well Conceived and Executed Plan to Catch a Murderer

NEW YORK, July 30.—An account was published a few days ago of the rescue from drowning of an unknown man by the crew of Pierre Lorillard's yacht Reva, which lay at anchor in the bay back of Belden's Point, City island. The man was taken from the water and landed on City island, after which he disappeared. The drowning man was playing a clever part as a detective to arrest a murderer, who he believed was secreted on the yacht without the knowledge or consent of Mr Lorillard. The supposed drowning man was Roundsman William Petty, of the Twenty first precinct. For some days he had suspected that Andrew Williams, alleged murderer in the Hobby case was on the yacht.

Petty Concludes to Go Fishing

Ward Detective McCarthy of the Twenty first precinct, had visited the yacht on July 19, the Sunday previous to Roundsman Petty's adventure. The steward told him that Williams had asked for work a few days before. He admitted that Williams was his friend. Not satisfied with McCarthy's report Captain Byrne ordered Roundsman Petty on the case. Petty knew there was no use trying to board the yacht as an officer, so he resorted to strategy. He put on an old gray suit and a hat the worse for wear. He equipped himself with fishing tackle and went to City island. Then he hired a boat and rowed out into the bay near the anchored yacht.

But His Man Was Not on Board

In full view of the people on the yacht he dropped an oar overboard. On attempting to reach it his boat lurched, throwing him into the water. Petty screamed with well simulated fright and disappeared under the water. He noticed a boat being lowered from the yacht. As he was apparently coming up the third time, and was floating away with the tide, he was seized and dragged into the boat. While seemingly unconscious he was very wide awake and was observing everything that occurred. The boat was rowed round the yacht and everybody aboard rushed to the rail to view the rescued man. The boat lay alongside the vessel for some time, until Petty was convinced the murdered Williams was not aboard. He then asked to be put ashore.

Put Iron in His Glove.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., July 31.—Early Wednesday Billy Pool, of St Paul, and Jack Bane fought eleven rounds with gloves in a twenty four foot ring, just across the Oregon line. At the end of the eleventh round the fight was awarded to Pool, the referee having discovered that Bane had been using a piece of iron in his right glove. Bane was terribly punished.

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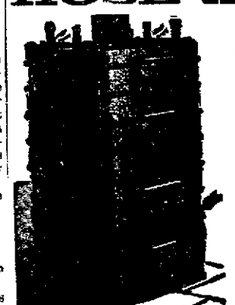

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WHO GOT THE FRUITS?

W. W. Dudley has been compelled to resign his position on the republican national committee. It seems to be the general understanding all around that he was forced to this step by the Harrison influence. The administration is just now engaged in cultivating a reputation for honest politics. It may be felt that this is supremely necessary since the record that was made on the Force bill.

Now, what was the objection to Dudley? He was only caught buying up the state of Indiana for the candidate on the republican ticket in 1888. He wrote some letters of instruction to his lieutenants, outlining for them the system of purchase that should be pursued. Some of these letters got to the public, when quite a howl was raised. There was an attempt to punish Dudley in the courts, but a republican judge interfered and soon broke up all plans of that kind. Republican papers at once asserted that Dudley stood acquitted before the people.

But such was not the case. The people did not like the spirit of the judge's interference. They saw that Dudley escaped without trial because of his political affiliations. The people dont like a thing of this kind. If Dudley had been acquitted after a regular trial, no matter if the thing had been largely fixed up from the beginning, all would have gone well with him throughout another campaign. But it was quite another matter to make him superior to legal process; the people drew the line at that.

And so Dudley stood convicted in the court of public opinion. This is a supreme court in politics. And there is no doubt that the thing that made his crime infamous was the mistaken and insolent effort of a federal judge to keep him from trial. The original crime was buying votes. The statute made it a crime. Public opinion, at least the part of it that then ruled in politics, attached no infamy to the act. The nation got a virtuous spasm, a thing as unforeseeable as an earthquake. The purchase of votes was notorious everywhere; and thousands of men, who are regarded as good as any in the country, were engaged in the business. The country thought it would reform, and it proposed to make Dudley do all the penance. That is a style of reformation that all, except the victim, enjoy. As he carries the sins of a nation he is pretty heavily loaded. But the people make him Lump himself just the same. He has all the pil grimages to make, and he has only a part of a lifetime in which to get the work done. The lash must be applied pretty often to get up the required speed, but there are 60 millions who are willing to apply it.

Now it is Mr. Harrison's business to appear before the people as a very righteous man; that is his hobby, and there is not a more disagreeable one on earth. The people connected him and Dudley. This was more than Harrison could bear patiently; he has taken every precaution to sever the connection. Dudley was not welcome at the White House; the president wanted him to get out of the national committee. Dudley has remained away from the White House, he has resigned from the committee; and now Mr. Harrison hopes to pose before the people as one who will not allow a garment of his to touch a contaminated person.

Some may think that this is all very fine; but surely there will be many more to ask, "who got the benefit of Dudley's crime?" The reward of all this work was the presidency. Harrison appropriated the reward, and then tried to square himself before the people by condemning the work. It was a very nice arrangement for Mr. Harrison. It was unfortunate for Dudley and Quay, but perhaps those gentlemen have themselves to blame for not having a better knowledge of the man for whom they were working.

But how will Harrison succeed if he is permitted to take his case before the people? Will these decide that it is all right to accept the result of the work of Messrs. Dudley and Quay and then condemn those men? Or will the people insist that if Harrison accepted the fruit of the conspiracy he is to be held equally guilty with the other conspirators.

IS THERE A TRUST?

Some people seem to think there is a rubber trust in England, and they argue from this that the democrats of this country are trying to haul our people over to an English trust. We are not surprised at the conclusion; for it is the business of a good republican editor to take any assertion that ever fell from lips and prove with it, in two minutes, that the democrats are endeavoring to wreck the country in which they must make their living. When we are not doing this we are supposed to be dead.

But we are very much surprised to learn that a republican paper should say there is a trust in England. How can that be while we are doing business on earth? Would not Americans who deal in rubber smash an English trust after a few hours' notice?

Rubber and rubber goods with us are protected by an ad valorem duty of 35 per cent. Republican papers tell us that means we are running a rubber industry. And you can learn from the same source that this duty is no tax upon the people. This means that rubber is as cheap to the consumer with a duty as without. In fact you can find some republican papers that insist in a rabid way that it is the tendency of a duty to lower prices. The conclusion from all this is that we are making rubber a little bit cheaper than anybody.

As . there is another tender and innocent little bud of the republican faith which says that we have no trusts in this country. The papers will tell you that there is a law against trusts, and that settled it. If you think there is a trust you are urged to prosecute and prove your case and have the offenders punished. This is held up as your duty. Unless you prosecute your trust to a finish you are informed that there is nothing wrong, that the stories told you are only rumor, that you dont know what you are talking about. There is the law against trusts; the presumption is that it is obeyed. If you think it is not you are a calamity howler.

So here we have a duty that cheapens production; an industry working faithfully along the line and aim of that duty; not a trust anywhere except in the mind of some calamity crank. It follows from all this that we are underselling the world.

Well, we have a right to sell our rubber goods in England. Why dont we load down a few ships with rubber, set sail for Liverpool and undersell the English trust? We who are manufacturing in such a very fair way, why can't we compete with the grinding English trust? These republican editors know we can't do it; and it is because our tariff-fostered prices are too high. And so it appears that the English trust deals more considerately with its victims than do our protected industries with their wards.

You say the English people are victimized by a rubber trust. Do you hear of any of the victims looking to the United States for relief? Does anybody know of a protected American manufacturer of rubber goods who is trying to sell in competition with the English trust?

There can't be any trust in England if what the republican papers have been saying is true. And if there is a trust there that undersells our fellows, will somebody please tell us what kind of a game it is we have on our hands?

BATTERED AGAIN.

The anti-trust law has been out for another engagement, and now its mother wouldn't know it with its clothes off. A few days ago the law was attacked by the barbed wire fence gang. Of course the engagement took place in Chicago. The trust fellows are so anxious to have a round with this law that they waive all objections about place and meet it on its own dunghill.

The barbed wire fellows went to Chicago, talked the situation over for a few hours, drank a few bottles of champagne, and then the newspaper men had the following item to send out:

CHICAGO, Ill, July 28.—Yesterday the barbed wire manufacturers of the United States completed all details for a combine, and the result is the formation of a wire trust that will eclipse all other combines. The trust or combine will in future be known as the Columbia Patent company, and their first move will be to advance the royalt on the manufacture of wire from $1 to $3 per ton, an advance of 200 per cent on present rates. The headquarters of the trust will be in Chicago. The nominal capital is $2,500,000. John Gates, the St Louis wire manufacturer, who has persistently fought the Washburn monopoly for years and even yet has suits pending in the United States courts, has joined hands in the new combine and has been elected president of the new company.

Now, if there is any other set of protected dukes who would like to meet the anti-trust law we would like to have them put under bond to cart away the disfigured chunks they intend to knock out of it.

And it may not be amiss to call your attention to the fact that the McKinley bill protects barbed wire. The protection is $12 a ton. This was secured under the pretence that the workingman should have higher wages. His wages have been reduced; the royalty has been made higher. The beneficiary of the royalty is the barbed wire manufacturer. The juicy sucker is the farmer who votes to give that duke his royalty.

THE Rep says that Jerry Simpson is talking "to hear his own blather." That last word is not in the dictionary. We know there are plenty good ones that can't be found there, but what is a "blather?" This may be a great word to pull on the new editor of The Hoo Doo.

CLARKSON says that he found more democrats in England that anywhere else. It has been a long while since that gentleman spent a night in Iowa. If he will only drop into that state for a few hours he may find that England is not in it when it comes to showing up democrats.

CARNEGIE has now forced upon his workingmen all the reductions of wages that he cares to for the present. He is now about ready to take another spell at telling those men how to vote if they want the wages increased.

QUAY is no longer chairman of the republican national committee. We only wish that he had been fired before the campaign of 1888 opened.

Myroa.

G. L. Crocker, the Springfield D. V. S. was here a few days this week.

Mrs. James. H. Parker returned Tuesday from an extended visit in Lincoln Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cannaim, of Chicago, are here visiting M. Friedman and family.

Fred Brandt came down from Galesburg to spend a few days with his parents and returned Tuesday.

Some of the Knox college boys were here Saturday and Sunday in the interests of the Y. M. C. A.

Will Potter is able to be out again, after an illness of about a week. He took his wife to Springfield yesterday to have he eyes examined by an oculist.

Our ball club was defeated in a ten inning game at Clinton Tuesday by a score of five to four. The Clintons had a Bloomington battery and short stop.

There was a fair crowd in town Saturday, but all the people did not attend the show as the price of admission was raised to 50 cents. Thd performance was said to have been fairly good in the afternoon but rather poor at night.

At the meeting of the city council Monday night, an ordinance was passed making the saloon license $600 a year. A new ordinance was passed in place of the old one in regard to the Sunday law. They also appointed a committee to investigate the cost of a system of water works and electric light.

June 31.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 31, 11a. m.—Wheat was quiet and featureless this morning, being inclined to weakness. Receipts were 84 car loads more than the estimates; Liverpool was 1d off on spot wheat and 1⅛d on future; cargoes at London were 2½d lower; Paris was quoted at 10@30 centimes off and the weather in England and this country was fine. Dec. wheat opened ⅛c off at 89⅝c and with minor fluctuation sold off to 89⅛c, but at 11 o'clock was quoted at 89⅜c. The corn market was soft on the failure of the predicted frosts in the Northwest; in fact the weather there was fine and warmer. Sept., opened 1⅛c off at 56⅝c, sold to 56⅝c, rallied to 57c, broke to 56⅛@⅜c, reacted to 56⅞c and at 11 o'clock stood at 56⅝c. Provisions were weak and lower. Sept. pork started at $11.45 against $11.52½ at the close yesterday and sold off to $11.37½ but rallied on the call to $11.40.

1:15 p. m.—Wheat—July, 87⅞c to 88c a; Aug., 87⅝c; Sept., 87½ b; Dec., 89⅝c; year, 85⅝c. Corn—July, 61⅛c n; Aug., 59c; Sept. 56⅝c; year, 46c. Oats—July, 28⅛c; Aug., 27⅝c; Sept., 27⅝c. Pork—Sept., $11.42½. Lard—Sept., 6.70c. Short ribs—Sept., 6 92½c.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Wheat—Receipts, 165,192 bu; sales, 3,036,000 bu; fairly active, lower and weak; longs selling; July, 98½ @ 98⅝c; Aug., 97⅛ @ 98⅝c; Sept., 97⅜ 98⅛c; Oct., 98⅛@99c; Nov., 99@99⅝c; Dec., 99 15 16@$1.00⅝c; Jan., $1.01⅜@1.01½c; May, $1.04⅝@1 05⅛c. Corn—Receipts, 58,500 bu; sales, 312 000 bu; weak, lower and dull, No. 2, 70⅛@72c. Oats—receipts, 47,000; sales, 35,000; dull, lower; western, 37@57. Beef quiet, unchanged; extra mess, $9.50@10.50; family, 13@14c. Pork fair demand, firm; new mess, $12.75@13.25; old mess, $12.25@12.25; extra prime, $11.00@11.50.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, July 31.

Produce: Butter—Fancy separator, 17c per lb; dairies, fancy fresh, 13@14c; packing stocks, fresh, 9@10c. Eggs—Loss off, 14c per doz. Live poultry—Old chickens, 11c per lb; spring, 12½c; roosters, 5@5½c; turkeys, mixed, 9@9c; ducks, 9@10c; spring, 10@11c. Potatoes—St. Louis, early Ohio, $1.25@1.50 per bbl, 40@45c per bu; Tennessee, $1.50@1.75 per bbl; Alton, $1.25@1.50; Kansas, 30@40c per bu; home grown, 60@75c per sack. Apples—Illinois, green, $1.25@2.00 per bbl; choice, $2.25; eating, $2.50@3.00. Raspberries—Red, $1.25@1.50 per 24-pt case; black, $1.25@1.40 per 16-qt case; $1.15@1.25 per 24-pt case. Blackberries—Michigan, 70@80c per 16-qt case.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

The late William Hill of Warsaw, Ia., has bequeathed $5,000 to the public library of that city.

About 500 Odd Fellows from lodges of the county met in Hillsdale, Mich., and held a picnic and organized what is to be known as the Hillsdale County Odd Fellows' Picnic association.

The new chinch bug remedy by inoculation, discovered in Kansas, has been tried with apparent success in Wisconsin, some of the imported infected insects causing the death of millions of the bugs in a wheat field.

Mrs. Margaret Calhoun, daughter-in-law of John C. Calhoun, of nullification fame, is dead. She was descended from Mildred Washington, first cousin of George Washington.

Harry Lindsey, a 14 year-old boy of Detroit visiting in Cambria, Mich., fatally shot himself.

Cashier Kirby, who embezzled $100,000 from a Marshall, Mich., bank, has been arrested at Sedalia, Mo.

It will cost nearly $1,000,000 a year more to run the mints if the next congress goes in for free coinage.

Portions of the town of Williamsport, Ia., were flooded by a heavy rainfall. The wind carried thirty-five houses off their foundations, and one house collapsed before the inmates could get out.

George Krantz, a business man of Defiance, O., was instantly killed by Harry Willey, a real estate agent. The tragedy is said to be the result of a quarrel over a horse.

It is proposed to combine the 137 boards of trade and similar institutions in New York in a state board.

James R. Godfrey, the last of the Miami tribe of Indians and once a chief, is dying at his home near South Bend, Ind., from an attack of cholera morbus.

Captain Jack Crawford, the poet-scout, has returned to Duluth from a trip to the northen part of Vermilion lake, and reports that Frank Porter, a half breed, and Mrs. Dempsey of Stillwater, Minn., have for three months past been working among the Chippewa Indians on the reservation and have converted nearly all to Christianity. Old Chief Wake-Me-Up is one of the most ardent converts. The Indians a few days ago gathered all their idols in a big pile and burned them up.

Swindlers are securing insurance premiums from the farmers of Hancock and adjacent counties in Iowa under the plea of renewing loans at a low rate of interest.

Potomac, the great son of St. Blaise and Susquehanna, is so badly crippled that he has been turned out by his owner, M. F. Dwyer.

Superintendent M. C. Knight, of the Oak Cliff Elevated railroad, St. Louis, shot and it is believed fatally wounded Mart Black, a discharged engineer. Knight surrendered.

Advices from China report another Christian mission burned; also the sinking of a steamer by collision, with the loss of 200 lives.

Henry Lindsay of Detroit was killed in Cambria by the accidental discharge of a gun while he was shooting fish.

W. H. Frickle ran a suit club at his tailoring establishment in Kansas City, promising to give a suit to each subscriber who should pay $35. The man has left town without keeping his contracts, and detectives are looking for him. The members of the club had all paid up.

Died on the Gallows.

HOUSTON, Tex., July 31.—William Caldwell was executed at 11:30 Friday morning in the county jail. He died without making a statement, but expressed the belief that he was going to heaven. He walked upon the scaffold without assistance and in eight minutes after the trap fell he was pronounced dead. His neck was broken. Caldwell, who is colored, killed Dr. Shamblen on the night of July 31, 1888. The murder was the outgrowth of a political feud.

Two Sealing Schooners Seized.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 31.—The steamer St. Paul has arrived from Ounalaska and reports intense excitement over the sealing edict. Two seizures of sealing schooners has been made up to July 20, the British schooner E. B. Marvin, formerly the American schooner Mollie Adams, and the American schooner La Ninfa. Before the news of the close season reached the North American Commercial company they had taken 7,500 seal skins.

Erhardt's Resignation Accepted.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Collector of the Port Erhardt Friday morning received from President Harrison a letter formally accepting his resignation and at the same time stating that personally he has the highest esteem for him and had expected that he would have continued in his position until the expiration of his term.

IT IS ALWAYS SO.

Across the meadow, with clover sweet,
I wandered one evening with weary feet,
For my heart was heavy, with untold woe,
For everything seemed to go wrong, you know.
'Twas one of those days whose cares and strife
Quite overshadow the good in life.

So, lone and sad, 'neath the twilight stars,
I wandered down to the pasture bars.
To the pasture bars, 'neath the hillside steep,
Where patiently waited a flock of sheep
For the happy boy, with whistle and shout,
Who was even now coming to turn them out.

"Good evening," said he, with boyish grace,
And a smile lit up his handsome face.
He let down the bars: then we both stepped back,
And I said, "You have more white sheep than black."
"Why, yes," he replied, "and didn't you know?
More white than black; why, 'tis always so!"

He soon passed on with his flock round the hill,
But down by the pasture I lingered still,
Pondering well on the words of the lad,
"More white than black," more good than bad.
More joy than sorrow, more bliss than woe;
"More white than black," and " 'tis always so!"

And since that hour, when troubles rife,
Gather and threaten to shroud my life—
Or I see some soul on the downward track—
I cry, there are more white sheep than black.
And I thank my God that I learned to know
The blessed fact, it is always so.

—Mrs. Mary Felton in Good Housekeeping.

Indians on the Plains and in Story.

I was a child when we started to California, yet I remember the journey well and I have cause to remember it, as our little band of emigrants who drove out of Springfield, Ills., that spring morning of 1846 have since been known in history as the "Ill fated Donner party" of "Martyr Pioneers." My father, James F. Reed, was the originator of the party, and he Donner brothers, George and Jacob, who lived just a little way out of Springfield, decided to join him.

All the previous winter we were preparing for the journey—and right here let me say that we suffered vastly more from fear of the Indians before starting than we did on the plains, at least this was my case. In the long winter evenings Grandma Keyes used to tell me Indian stories. She had an aunt who had been taken prisoner by the savages in the early settlement of Virginia and Kentucky, and had remained a captive in their hands five years before she made her escape. I was fond of these stories, and evening after evening would go into grandma's room, sitting with my back close against the wall so that no warrior could slip behind me with a tomahawk.

I would coax her to tell me more about her aunt, and would sit listening to the recital of the fearful deeds of the savages, until it seemed to me that everything in the room, from the high old fashioned bedposts down even to the shovel and tongs in the chimney corner, was transformed into the dusky tribe in paint and feathers, all ready for the war dance. So when I was told that we were going to California and would have to pass through a region peopled by Indians, you can imagine how I felt.—Cor. Century.

How Cotton Cargoes Catch Fire.

A source of fire is in the manner of handling cotton in this port. It comes here chiefly in the coasting steamers from Galveston, New Orleans, Savannah, Norfolk and Richmond. The coasters discharge it on their piers or to the decks of lighters direct. It is all eventually sent by lighters to the steamer that is to carry it to Europe. Some companies carefully cover the cotton with a tarpaulin and some do not. It is not an uncommon thing, as people on the water front know, to see a tug puffing out sparks over an unprotected lighter load of cotton, nor is it uncommon to see a lighter load of cotton on fire.

But sparks very often drop into the loose cotton, which any one can see on the bales of cotton about the piers, and smolder there to create a flame only when the ship has left the port. Sparks from the dummy engines on the decks of the transatlantic steamers have been known to set fire to cotton bales in like manner.—New York Sun.

Chickens Picked by Electricity.

Can it be possible that wind alone can completely strip the feathers from a chicken and not hurt the fowl? Never; but it is possible for electricity to do this. Place a man or a woman on an insulated stool so that the electricity will not pass through the body to the earth, and then heavily charge the body with electricity and every hair of the head, even a woman's long hair, will stand out like iron spikes or the sized hair of the Circassian show girl. No doubt if the electric charge should be increased it would drive every hair out of the head, and this is the reason that so many chickens are stripped by tornadoes.—Fort Worth Gazette.

Girls Must Have Six Shirts.

The young woman who has a liking for the shirt front and cutaway jacket must remember one thing—that is, that her get-up is never inexpensive. Her linen must be as immaculate as a lily, and she will require at least six shirts to keep herself looking well, and of these six four will have to be at the laundry while a fresh one is on her, and another fresh one is reposing at home waiting to be assumed tomorrow. The imitation of the manly costume is smart to look at, but by no means economical.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Celluloid in Photography.

The introduction of celluloid as a photographic material is certainly a great step in advance. Glass is fragile and heavy. Traveling photographers of all classes are not slow to appreciate the advantage of being able to make their negatives on a substance like celluloid, which precludes the risk of breakage if inadvertently dropped, as would of course happen with glass. The saving, both in weight and bulk, by the employment of celluloid is very considerable.—Outing.

What He Thought.

Mrs. Blossom (wrathfully, to new conductor)—Why didn't you stop the car when I waved my hand at you the first time?

Conductor—I didn't know you wanted to ride, m'am.

Mrs. Blossom—What did you suppose I was waving my hand for?

Conductor—I thought you were trying to mash me.—New York Epoch.

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TO CHICAGO.	FROM CHICAGO
No. 3........12:05 a m	No. 1 (Ex Sun) [illegible] p m
No. 4........11:25 a m	No. 5........ [illegible] a m
No. 6 (Ex Sun) [illegible] a m	No. 5........ [illegible] p m
TO ST. LOUIS.	FROM ST. LOUIS.
No. 9........ 6:30 a m	No. 10........ [illegible] p m
No. 8........ [illegible] a m	No. 4........ [illegible] a m
No. 43........ 4:05 a m	No. 44........11:10 a m
No. 45........ [illegible] p m	No. 48........10:15 p m
No. 5........ 3:00 p m	No. 1........11:[illegible] p m
No. 71 frt.... [illegible] a m	No. 70 frt.... [illegible] p m
TO TOLEDO	FROM TOLEDO
No. 46........ 6:25 a m	No. 43........ [illegible] a m
No. 44........11:15 a m	No. 45........ [illegible] p m
No. 42........ 10:22 p m	No. 41........ 9:00 p m
No. 48 Effing. [illegible] p m	No. 47 Effing. 10:55 a m
TO QUINCY, ETC.	FROM QUINCY, ETC.
No 43........ [illegible] a m	No 42........ [illegible] p m
No 45........ 3:10 p m	No 44........ 10:[illegible] a m
No 1........ 9:07 p m	No 6........ [illegible] a m
No 47 Bluffs [illegible] a m	No 48 Bluffs [illegible] p m
No 71 Frt.... 1:00 p m	No 70 Frt.... [illegible] a m

Ind. Decatur & Western.

ARRIVE.	DEPART.
No 1........2:05 p m	No 2........11:45 a m
No 3........[illegible] a m	No 4........[illegible] p m
Freight........9:30a. m.	

Terre Haute & Peoria.

EAST.	WEST.
No 2........2:55 p m	No 1........11:[illegible]a m
No 4........7:00 a m	No 3 arr.......[illegible] p m
No 6 arv ..... 9:03 p m	No 7 frt arr... [illegible] p m
No 8 frt leav. 3:50 a m	No 9 frt........ 4:[illegible] a m
No 10 arv ... 4:00 p m	No 5 leav........6:[illegible] a m

Illinois Central.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No 2 pass.....9:10 a m	No 1 pass ... 5:50 p m
No 4 pass..... 9:20 p m	No 3 pass ... 10.30 a m
No 12 accom....2:40 p m	No 13 frt..... 7:40 a m
No 14 freight..6:16 p m	

No 3 Champ'n Line, arrives ....10:00 a m
No 4 " " leaves..........8:15 p m

Peoria, Decatur & Evansville.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No 2 leav. .....3:10 p m	No 1 leav .. 11:00 a m
No 4 leav........6:55 a m	No 3 leav... 10:15 p m
No 14 frt.... 10:45 a m	No 11 fr't....3:15 p m

WABASH EXCURSIONS.

ONE FARE EXCURSIONS.

G. A. R. To accommodate the Grand Army traffic, train No. 46 will run on Sunday, Aug. 2 leaving Decatur 6:25 a. m. arriving Detroit 6:45 p. m. same day. F. W. Greene, P. & T. A.

G. A. R. Encampment at Detroit. The Wabash railroad is now generally recognized as the Grand Army line. As a matter of principle, it always does everything in its power to favor that organization. Comrades and their friends who propose attending the coming national encampment at Detroit, Aug 8-4, should bear in mind that the Wabash is one of the principal lines between Chicago and Detroit, only direct line from Decatur, and offers equipment second to none. On Aug 1, 2 and 3 the Wabash rod will run regular trains from Chicago to Detroit, leaving Dearborn station, Chicago, at 9:30 a. m., 3:00 and 10:30 p. m; and 6:25 and 11:15 a. m., and 10:22 p. m. In addition such special trains will be run between the hours named as may be necessary to accommodate the public. Rate, $8 from Decatur for the round trip. Equipment will consist of palace sleeping cars, free chair cars and elegant day coaches. Send in your name for sleeping car reservations, stating which train you desire to leave on.

G. A. R. The Wabash has arranged for Old Post One, G. A. R., to go through in a body to the Detroit encampment. In honor of the founders of the order and as a special compliment to Decatur as the birthplace of the G. A. R., the Wabash has provided a train to be known as "Old Post One Special." To accommodate the large number of comrades who want to escort Old Post One, this train will start from East St. Louis, Hannibal, Quincy and Keokuk and will be consolidated at Decatur, and run as Old Post One special from Decatur to Detroit, arriving there early Tuesday morning in ample time for the grand parade. This will be the most imposing train running into Detroit during the silver anniversary encampment. The Wabash will make an especially low rate for the occasion of $8 for the round trip.

Tickets on sale Aug. 1 to 3 inclusive, good returning Aug. 4 to 18. On application to the joint agent at Detroit the tickets will be extended to Sept. 30. Parties holding Wabash tickets have the advantage of going or returning via Chicago. G. A. R. posts wishing to charter sleepers or wishing to secure cars for their exclusive use or parties wishing to reserve berths in sleeping car should call on or address at an early date, F. W. Greene, Pass. & T'k't Agt Decatur, Ill.

For further information apply at city ticket office, 142 East Prairie street, or Union depot ticket office. F. W. GREENE, Passenger and Ticket Agent. Telephone No 7.

Sunday excursion to Bloomingdale Glens, Montezuma Sulphur Baths and all points on I. D. & W. Ry, as far East as Marshall, on Sundays. The I. D. & W. Ry. will run a special excursion train leaving Decatur at 7 o'clock a. m. arriving at Marshall at 10:10 a. m. and Montezuma at 9:47 a. m. returning leave Marshall at 5:30 p. m. and Montezuma at 5:50 p. m. arriving at Decatur at 8:30 p. m. one fare for the round trip; fifty cents will be added for hack fare from Marshall to the Glens and return.

For parties of five or more rate of $1.75 percapita will be made to Bloomingdale Glens and Montezuma. For further information call at city ticket office 142 East Prairie street or union depot ticket office. C. G Dorwin, Gen'l Ag't.

National Encampment G. A. R. For this occasion the P. D. & E. railroad will sell excursion tickets on Aug 1 to 3 inclusive Decatur to Detroit at $8.00 for the round trip, good to return from Aug 8 to 18 or may be extended until Sept. 30. For further information call on T. Peniwell, city office, or C. O. Judson, Union depot.

G. A. R. Encampment. Detroit, August, 3 to 8, 1891. For the above occasion the Illinois Central railroad will make a rate of $8.00 for the round trip, from all stations on its lines in Illinois, south of and including Kankakee, Chattsworth and El Paso. Tickets on sale August 1 to 3 inclusive, good to return August 4 to 18, inclusive, except that under certain conditions and restrictions, tickets may be made good for return until Sept. 30, 1891. For specific rates and further information call on local Illinois Central railroad ticket agent, or address F. B. Bowes, general northern passenger agent, 194 Clark street, Chicago.

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By the Georgia Silver Cornet Band.

PRICES.—25c, 50c, 75c. The sale of seats will begin at the Grand Opera House pharmacy Saturday morning, August 1.

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TO-NIGHT

And remainder of this week

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MORNING REVIEW

SATURDAY, AUGUST 1, 1891.

MATTERS OF FACT.

Nine o'clock washing tea at Irwin's pharmacy.

Prescriptions are carefully prepared at Irwin's pharmacy.

Lawn Tennis jackets and Blazers very cheap at the great clearing-sale of Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet company.

For prompt messenger service, telephone No. 446.

When you want your shoes repaired go and see John McAllister in Peri building.

Great Bargains in summer underwear, children's ribbed vests 5c at the great clearing sale of Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet company.

John McAllister will repair your shoes on short notice. Give him a trial. Tabernacle building.

Railroad tickets bought and sold. Low rates to all points. ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

Delicious, cooling and refreshing summer drinks at Irwin's drug store.

Fast Black dragon organdies, French mousselines, wool challies and all summer dress goods greatly reduced in price at the great clearing sale of Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet company.

A great reduction sale of trimmed millinery at cost this and next week at the new millinery store, in Casner block, opposite the postoffice.

"Centemeri" Kid Gloves in Black and Colors, at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Co.

For Saturday.

If you want to see the finest layout in California fruits ever shown in the city just take a look at May & Churchman's windows today. They sell more fruit than all the other grocery stores together and its because they keep the best that money will buy, and know just how to arrange it to make it look attractive. Mr. Churchman gives this department his special attention and what Frank dont know about handling fruit is not much. It dont make any difference how busy they are, or how much they sell, you will always find their show windows as neat as a pin. "You would be surprised, said Mr. May to a REVIEW reporter yesterday, "if you knew the amount of fruit we handle in a day." It keeps from one to two men constantly waiting on the trade that buy fruit in small quantities, but we have the men and know just where to buy the fruit, so you can tell the people through THE REVIEW to keep it up. While it makes some of our competitors feel a little sore to see the amount of business we are doing in this line, they will have to stand it for we are bound to give the people of Decatur a first class grocery store, and from the amount of new trade we get every day they evidently appreciate it."

Always Ahead.

You can buy ladies' dongola Oxfords, patent tip, machine sewed, sole leather, counter flexible inner sole. A good one made for service and durability. The most popular Oxford for hard service as the great army of ladies who are wearing them will attest. All sizes, 2½ to 7. You can get them at $1 per pair at the Ferriss & Lapham Shoe store, 148 East Main street.

Notice.

The Decatur Gas Lt & C. Co. hereby give notice that all wiring for electric light must be inspected before closed in, as the said company will not furnish light to any persons until wiring has been inspected and found correctly and safely wired.

A Good Housekeeper

will appreciate the advantages of the "Victoria" sweeper. They dont touch the carpet and for that reason do not wear the nap off of moquettes, Axminsters and Brussels. See them at the Lytle & Eckels Hardware company.

Notice.

On and after Aug. 1, we will furnish all incandescent light consumers the regular high grade lamp, at 60 cents each. In lot of one dozen, $7.50; one half dozen $4.

DISTRICT TELEGRAPH CO.

Dont Go

up town to buy your groceries. J. B. Fritz keeps a full stock and will sell you cheap. Corner Union and Green streets.

The Best.

Smoke the old reliable K. & W. cigar, it is the best. Manufactured by Keck & Weigand.

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is the best 5 cent cigar in the city. Try it. KECK & WEIGAND, manufacturers.

If You Want Music

Or any kind of musical instrument, Prescott's is the place you are looking for.

The Baseball Girl.

She's a very swagger maiden, of a figure rather tall,
And she doesn't talk like other girls, but only of baseball.
She's pert, and sometimes pretty, when she speaks about the game,
And she thinks to be a pitcher is the highest meed of fame.
She'll clap her tangloved hands in glee to cheer a splendid hit,
And sometimes when her side has won she'll flirt a little bit;
But if you speak the love that does your foolish heart enthrall,
She'll tell you you must join a nine and study to play ball.
She talks of "flys" and "liners" in a manner that is pat;
She can tell you in a minute who it is that's at the bat;
She dotes on Keefe and Connor and raves about their "curves,"
And you'd really think she had been constructed without nerves.
For she doesn't mind it if a foul comes spinning to her side;
She catches it and sends it back, and looks quite gratified.
She's upon all the double plays and marks them on her cuff;
But she cannot keep a score card though she makes a splendid bluff.
Beware of the baseball maiden and her fetching little ways;
She's deadlier than the summer girl that now in ambush lays;
She comes in with the springtime, and there's mischief in her eye;
And though she doesn't look it she's most intensely fly.

—Kate Masterson.

THE WRECK.

Particulars About the Extent of the Damage—Clearing the Track.

A great many people visited the wreck on the Illinois Central just beyond the bridge yesterday. It was worth going to see. One does not often see two engines driven together as those two were. The P. D. & E. engine seemed driven into the other engine. Both remained on the track, too closely united to fall apart or get away from the rails. The running gear of the P. D. & E. engine was knocked off completely, while the boiler lay up on the Central engine boiler. The tender of the P. D. & E. engine went clear over the boiler, and rested on the front ends of the two boilers. There was no sign of the P. D. & E. cab, and all that was left of the Central engine cab was the roof. The Central tender was on top of a flat car.

About 10 loaded cars were wrecked. They were loaded with corn, lumber, flour, highwines, and coal. Two car loads of corn could not be picked up. Wagons were engaged by the railroad company yesterday to haul the highwines, barrels of flour and lumber to the junction, where it could be loaded on the cars. A great many tramps and Decatur bums gathered around the highwines, and succeeded in getting drunk enough to suit even themselves.

Trainmaster Reed, of the Central, and Superintendent Starbuck, of the P. D. & E. were on the ground yesterday clearing up the wreck. The falling cars broke five telegraph wires. Trainmaster Reed made a connection, attached an instrument, and sent orders from the scene of the accident.

The track was cleared about 12:30, and trains began to pass. The work might have been completed sooner, had not the wrecking car been upset when lifting a flat car. Many of the damaged cars still lie on the ground. It will be two or three days before it can be picked up.

The P. D. & E morning passenger trains waited till the wreck was cleared away. The Illinois Central trains went around by way of Mattoon and Champaign. That was what made the mails and Chicago papers late.

The loss is variously estimated, but $15,000 does not seem to be too large a figure.

The responsibility for the wreck has not yet been fixed. It is generally understood that the P. D. & E. will be held responsible. The trainmen of that road have been pulled off for an investigation. Other trainmen think the crew will be fired. They ran out of Decatur without authority. If it can be shown that the P. D. & E. is responsible that road will have to stand all the expense of the wreck.

Northeast Decatur.

B. T. Hickman was out in Northeast Decatur Friday.

William Trester and little son spent Sunday in Springfield.

Nath Smith, of Niantic, was out in Northwest Decatur, Thursday calling on friends.

Albert Kane was called to a place near Quincy to see his father who had a stroke of paralysis.

Mr. Baldrige has the contract to erect a house for John Wheat on East Edmond. The price not known.

Thomas Day will start to the far northwest next month to seek a location. He will be absent till Christmas. His family will remain here.

Dr. Stoner removed the plaster paris from James Alsup's leg and by the assistance of crutches it is hoped he will be out soon. Mr. A. has been confined to his bed several weeks on account of his horse falling on him.

Twelve Hundred a Year.

Miss Elizabeth S. Gastman received a letter yesterday morning from the Chicago School board, stating that she had been appointed a teacher in the South Division High School of that city, at a salary of $1 200 a year. Miss Gastman was a teacher in the Springfield High School last year, where she taught the languages. At that place she received $800 a year. She is a graduate of Ann Arbor university, where she graduated four years ago. She will accept her tempting offer, although the nature of her duties were not stated in the appointment.

A New Dam.

The waterworks committee of the city council is having plans made for a new dam in the river. The matter will probably come up at the next council meeting. The plan is to put the dam nearer the Illinois Central bridge. It will cost about $1,000, and will have the fishway that Commodore Harkness has been kicking for over a year. The old dam is leaking badly, and is not large enough. The new dam will make the water supply better, it is thought.

Candidate for Governor.

The Fifteenth district comes to the front with a candidate for the democratic nomination for governor next year. Hon. Andrew J. Hunter, of Paris, who ran for congress in 1884 against Joseph G. Cannon, formally announces himself for the honorable position, and asserts that he is receiving much encouragement from his friends and the democratic press of the state generally. He is an able speaker and well informed on the tariff.

Captured at Last—Escaped in 1840

For many years the famous Manitou lake has had its name spread far and near on account of the great dragon that has been seen from time to time on its shores or swimming in its waters. Did you ever hear the story; a water monster of the finny tribe, 12 feet across the beam, eyes 6 feet in diameter? When captured a few months ago multitudes assembled to view its remains, but to the astonishment of all who saw it, they discovered that Bob Ferguson, the life and accident insurance man had his advertisement painted on its back.

Stepped on a Rake.

Mrs. James Alsup, in the northeast part of the city, stepped on a garden rake a day or two ago, and two of the points went into her heel. The wound made is very painful and may be dangerous.

Enlarging his Shop.

Robert Phares is building a 60 foot addition to his machine shop in the northeast part of the city. He already has a large and well equipped establishment.

People with White Hair.

Oscar Pfeiffer, of Vienna, who died in 1887, when a boy of twelve fell into a deep well, saving his life by catching and clinging to some vines near the bottom. He was rescued after fourteen hours, but his black hair had changed to pure white. Perry reports the case of a gentleman in New Bedford whose glossy black hair became gray in a single night. A London paper announces the case of a lady whose brown hair became white in a few hours on learning of the shipwreck of her affianced. Borellus reports the cases of two Spanish gentlemen whose hair suddenly became white, and Daniel Turner mentions a similar change in the hair of Don Diego Osorius.—New York Times.

THE DETROIT ENCAMPMENT.

St. Louis Grand Army Men Already Going Through Decatur.

The first special train to go through Decatur to the Detroit encampment was the one which went last night about 9. It consisted of four chair cars and three sleepers. About 200 persons in all were on the train. The route will be by way of Toledo and Put-in-Bay, arriving at Detroit Saturday night. The Arsenal band accompanied the excursion. This is the post to which W. T. Sherman belonged.

Four excursion trains will go from St. Louis to Detroit. Blair post, No. 1, will leave Saturday at 4:30 p. m. also over the Wabash. This train, which will convey 250 G. A. R. men and 150 friends will go direct to Detroit. The train will consist of 12 cars. Hassendeubel post also leaves Saturday at 6 p. m. over the Wabash, with 150 G. A. R. men and 100 friends. A fourth train will leave Sunday under the patronage of Lyon post, No. 2. Members from Harding and other posts will accompany the Lyon, making a total of 250 men.

The St. Louis men will all be in uniform and will march in the procession in Detroit on Tuesday, Aug., 4, 800 strong. Each post will be headed by a band. The Third Wisconsin Militiary band will join Blair post in Detroit, and a band from Shelbyville, Ill., will accompany the Lyon post party. The National Guard band of St. Louis accompanies Hassendeubel post.

The encampment will open with a parade Aug., 4, and the men go into regular army quarters Wednesday, Aug. 5. The encampment will last during the rest of the week.

A Few Prices.

The articles quoted below are offered by our best dealers.

Fruits—Lemons, 30c a doz; oranges, 40 to 50c a doz; bananas, 15 to 25c a doz; blackberries, 10c, 3 for 25c; cherries, 10c qt.; plums, 10c, 3 for 25c; peaches, 50 to 60c a pk; apricots, 10c a doz; California pears, 30c a doz; California plums, 10 to 20c a doz; apples, 20 to 25c a pk.; German prunes, 15c a doz; nectarines, 20c a doz; egg plum, 20c a doz; grapes, 10c a lb.

Vegetables—New potatoes, 20c a pk. tomatoes, 15 to 20c a doz; cabbage, 5c; cucumbers, 10 to 20c a doz; cauliflower, 10c; egg plant, 10 to 15c; beans, 30c a pk; onions, 50c a pk; corn, 10c a doz; turnips, 20c a pk; summer squash, 5c each; pieplant, 5c a bunch, 3 for 10c; lettuce, 5c; soup bunches, 5c; celery, 5c a stalk; watermelons, 15 to 20c; musk melons, 5 to 10c.

Eggs—15c a doz.

Butter—Good country 20c a lb; creamery 25c a lb; butterine, 20c a lb.

Live Chickens—Spring 25 to 40c; fat old hens, 45 to 50c.

Fresh Fish—Trout and white fish, 12½c; buffalo, 10c.

Flour—Prices unchanged.

Will Dedicate the Fund.

The Barton Leforgee Memorial fund will be formally dedicated today at the state encampment of the Christian church, now holding at Eureka. This is Christian Endeavor day, and in connection with other exercises those dedicating the fund will be held. Rev. T. W. Pinkerton will make the address and on behalf of F. A. Leforgee will pledge substantial support to the fund. It is for the education of young men for the Christian ministry. In his address Mr Pinkerton will give a history of the life of Barton Leforge, and will explain the plan of the fund, as devised by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Decatur church. The picture that has been in A. F. Bass' store window will be presented to the college at Eureka. Misses Nettie Stumpf and Flo Elliott and Will Parish left last night for Eureka to be present at the exercises.

A Great Improvement.

Helena (Mont.) Journal

As a general rule all minstrel shows are more or less similar, but the Richards & Pringle's Georgia Minstrel company have an original way of entertaining their audience. It is not the iron clad minstrel show, the old jokes and stale conundrums. They are new, bright, spicy and witty. The finale of the first part is a novel feature of the show in the way of musical entertainment. "The Black Patti" is a genius, and the drum majors and vestibule car porters cannot be excelled for novelty. It would be impossible to do Billy Kersands justice with the pen, and it must be left to those who saw him to say that he is the very life of the whole show.

Sprained Her Ankle.

Mrs. E. S. McClure, who lives at 960 North Main street, met with a painful accident yesterday, which may prove quite serious. She was crossing the street from her residence to the house of a neighbor, with a small child in her arms. In stepping from the boulevard she fell and sprained her right ankle. Dr. Catto dressed the injury and said that she will be laid up for a few weeks.

At Riverside.

The free band concert at Riverside park last night drew a large crowd. Saturday night a refined Vaudeville company will appear in new acts and specialties, closing with a one act farce comedy. Sunday night "Around the World in Eighty Minutes."—61 scenes of noted places will be given with calcium light effects.

Going to California

Isaac Blickenstaff, of Oakley township, had a sale Thursday, and sold off all his property. The sale aggregated $1,350, and the things all brought good prices. Mr. Blickenstaff and family will leave next Tuesday for California, where they will probably reside.

An Adept.

Jack (who has been called in for punishment and regaled with an account of his misdoings)—Did Dick Van Twiller tell you that, mamma?

Mamma—Yes, Jack.

Jack (reproachfully)—And you believed him?

Mamma—Yes, Jack.

Jack—Well, I don't blame you for believing him, mamma. He's the most beautiful liar in the whole school.—Boston Beacon.

No Change.

"No, Harry, I am sorry, but I am sure that we could not be happy together. You know I always want my own way in everything."

"But, my dear girl, you could go on wanting it—after we were married."—Life.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

Mrs. R. T. Young left last night for Detroit.

Paul Smith paid Blue Mound a business trip yesterday.

D. W. Brintlinger was at Maroa yesterday on business.

Dr. E. W. Moore was in Bethany yesterday on business.

Rev. W. H. Davis will go to Millersville Sunday to preach.

Mrs. R. J. Simpson has returned from a visit at Minneapolis.

A. T. Wheeler, of Eau Claire, Wis., is visiting Decatur friends.

Miss Julia A. Howes is visiting friends and relatives in Chicago.

Dr. Ullrich was in Shelbyville yesterday on professional business.

Miss Emma Davis will go to Collinsville, Ill., for a week's visit with friends.

Miss Mame B. Chamberlain, of Macon, is the guest of Miss Mame Freeman.

Samuel Kahn has returned from Spring Lake where he was on a fishing trip.

W. H. Linn is home from Chicago where he has been on business for several days.

Charley Steele, Scott Glore and Jesse Crane went to Harristown yesterday for a visit.

Ed Hamilton and Fred M Por have returned to their home at Champaign after a visit here.

Miss Lillie Weo'l[illegible] of Monticello, has returned home after a visit here with relatives.

A. S. Lambertin, of Denver, formerly with Linn & Scruggs, is in Decatur visiting old friends.

Mrs Will Montgomery and Mrs. J. R. Price are visiting friends and relatives at Gibson City.

Miss Hattie J. Brown will return today from Springfield where she has been visiting relatives.

Miss. Hal Thompson has returned from Jacksonville and Carrollton where she was visiting friends.

David Sanders, a carpenter, left last night for Salt Lake City, where he will work at his trade.

Mrs. M. L. Osburn and Miss Sadie Kinney will leave today for Bradford, O., on a visit with relatives.

Fred Norman, John Norman, of Louisville, Ky., and M F. Metz went north yesterday on a fishing trip.

Mrs. Annie McGill has returned to her home at Jacksonville after a visit with H. W. Wargoner and family.

J. D Shater and daughter returned yesterday to their home at Springfield after a visit with Decatur relatives.

George W. Powers will arrive home this morning from Lake Bluff, where he has been enjoying life for the last week.

Dr. John A. Dawson will preach at Macon tomorrow. Rev. W F. Spruill will preach in Decatur for Rev. James Miller.

Mrs. George Simon and son and daughter, Daniel and Louise, left yesterday for Vandalia, where they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mills, Miss Pearl Shulhof and Miss Minnie Baldstone, of New Jersey, will leave today for Milwaukee on a visit.

Mrs George Lee, of Bement, was in Decatur yesterday on her way to Springfield to see her husband, who is in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W Gastman, of Hudson, who have been here for a few days visiting E. A. Gastman and wife have returned home.

Rev J. W. Crane will hold quarterly service at Butler tomorrow for Rev. M. D. Hawes, who has two quarterly meetings for this Sunday.

Rev Sophie Gibb who is enjoying her vacation at Delphos, Kan., writes that she is resting quietly and regaining her strength. She will not return to Decatur under three or four weeks.

A Concert Hall Singers.

There is a phase of metropolitan life that appeals very strongly to human sympathy. It is the struggle of once popular and more or less gifted public singers, but who have by reason of failing voice and beauty been dropped into the ten cent museums, low concert halls and beer gardens to eke out a precarious livelihood. "The singer who has a declining voice is like the artist with failing sight," said a manager. "It is the most painful thing a manager has to do—this brutal condemnation of footlight unfortunates." But how about the singers themselves? Did you ever figure up the full meaning of voice failure to a talented operatic singer? It is not merely the loss of a means of livelihood—it is the retirement from the dearly beloved public eye. It is a sort of personal public disgrace. It is to fall from the stars into the mud, and to be horribly conscious during the entire descent. If the blow fall at once, as it sometimes does come, the mental suffering would perhaps be acute, but it would soon be over.

"It is this terrible lagging, dragging from day to day," says a singer; "sometimes better, sometimes worse; sometimes full of hope, sometimes overwhelmed with despair. It is dreadful! You can't realize what it is to feel the stage gradually slipping from under you—to feel the public contempt. There are singers here in New York in every museum, concert hall, beer garden and Bowery dive who have been leading people in the best opera companies in their day, and who have been thus dying by inches, as it were—slipping a little lower every year."—New York Herald.

Fish as the Staff of Life.

As a result of personal experience I may state that some years since I lived for a period of forty days, so far as what is called solid food is concerned, solely on fish, with of course the addition of bread (no potatoes were eaten during the period); but I cannot recommend that mode of living. I discovered before the forty days had expired that fish was not the staff of life.

In the course of my experiment I not only lost flesh but also energy, nor did I feel my head clearer or my thoughts and feelings more alert than when subsisting on more varied food. While living on fish only one feels "a want," a craving for "something you don't know what"—that is to say, you cannot give a name to your desires, nor does the feeling wear off as you continue the dietary; at all events, in my case "custom came not to the rescue." So after forty days had expired I returned to the fleshpots, not all at once, being convinced that caution was necessary.—Temple.

NEW FALL GOODS.

In Addition to our Great Clearing Sale of all Summer Goods at Greatly Reduced Prices, we will have on Sale our Early Fall Purchases of

NEW FALL PRINTS,
NEW GINGHAMS,
NEW SATEENS,
NEW CASHMERES,
NEW HENRIETTAS,
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NEW FALL UNDERWEAR,
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Comprising all the shoes used as samples by all the traveling salesmen of the wholesale house of L. L. Ferriss & Co., for the summer trade. These samples comprise our entire line of summer shoes. They are cut out of the best stock in each grade, are not injured for wear, and will positively be sold at wholesale net price or less. They will wear better than any other shoes of their class. In this lot are ladies' Oxfords, all styles, sizes 3 to 4½ at from 50c to $2 per pair, the last named being an extraordinary fine shoe. We have an endless variety of men's fine shoes 200 different styles, in lace and congress, plain toes tips, narrow toes and tips, all the latest styles, sizes 6½ to 8, and prices from $1 to $3.50 per pair.

Our samples of ladies' shoes are especially fine. They are from 3 to 4½ in size, are in all different style toes, patent leather tips, opera heels, low heels and common sense lasts. They range in price from $1 to $3.50 per pair, and are now offered at just about half price.

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Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY.
In the circuit court.
Nellie Tay,
vs
James Veale, trustee, Henry Huesing and Joseph Huesing } No. 12822. Bill for foreclosure

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon County in the State of Illinois entered in the above entitled cause at the June term of said court A. D. 1891, I, James J. Finn, master in chancery of said court will at the hour of three o'clock p m. on the

1ST DAY OF AUGUST, A. D. 1891

at the west door of the court house in Decatur, offer for sale at public vendue to the highest and best bidder subject to redemption according to law the following decribed real estate to-wit: Thirty-six (36) feet off of the west side of lot No. three (3) in block No. one (1) in Fern and Bruce's addition to the city of Decatur, with the dwelling out buildings and improvements thereon situated in the County of Macon and state of Illinois.

Terms cash in hand on day of sale. Sale subject to approval of the court.

Dated at Decatur Ill., this 8th day of July, A. D. 1891.

JAMES J. FINN,
Master in Chancery.

I. D. Walker complainant's solicitor.

Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY.
In the circuit court.
Gertrude Locher
vs
James Locher et. al. } No. 13734. Bill for foreclosure.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, state of Illinois, entered in the above entitled cause at the June term of said court A. D. 1891, I James J. Finn master in chancery of said court will at the hour of three o'clock p. m. on the

TH DAY OF AUGUST, A. D. 1891,

at the west entrance to the stairway leading to the circuit room in the city of Decatur in said county, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash subject to redemption according to law, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lots one (1) and two (2) in block four (4) of Higgin's addition to the town, now city, of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois.

Sale subject to approval of the court.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 9th day of July, A. D. 1891.

JAMES J. FINN,
Master in Chancery.

Mills Bros., & Mills, complainant's solicitors.

Chancery Publication Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY.

In the circuit court of said Macon county, September term thereof, A. D. 1891.

Ida A. Davis vs. Salem M. Davis, divorce.

The said Ida A. Davis, the above named complainant, having filed her bill of complaint in the said court, on the chancery side thereof and to its June term, A. D. 1891, against the defendant, Salem M. Davis, and thereupon summons was duly issued and returned unserved. Whereupon this cause was continued to the next September term of said court, and is now pending.

And, affidavit of the non residence from this state having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court, notice is therefore hereby given to you, the said Salem M. Davis, that unless you be and appear in said court on the first day of the next September term thereof, A. D. 1891, and according to the rules of said court, plead, answer or demur in said cause, the matters and things in said bill alleged will be taken as confessed. M. MCULLIGAN, Clerk.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
COUNTY OF MACON.

In the county court to the July term A. D. 1891.

To the heirs, distributees and creditors of the estate of Jane Howell, deceased:

Take notice that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Jane Howell, deceased, has filed in the clerk's office of said county court his final settlement as such administrator and is asking for an order of settlement and discharge and that he will on the eighth day of August, A. D. 1891, apply for said order when and where you may appear and object to said settlement if you see fit.

WILLIAM T. HOWELL, Administrator.

Dated this 24th day of July, A. D. 1891.

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MORNING REVIEW

SATURDAY, AUGUST 1, 1891

CITY MEETINGS.

Regular communication of Macon Lodge No. 184, F. & A. M. this (Saturday) evening at 7 30 o'clock for work in the third degree. J. A. Buckingham, W. M.; W. L. Hammer, Sec.

MATTERS OF FACT.

Smoke the Pansy, Havana filled 5c cigar, made by H. Yaeck & Co.

Hats and flowers at great discounts at Miss E. Williams. South Park street.

Smoke the Heatless, Havanna filled 5c cigar made by H. Yaeck & Co.

You will find rare bargains in millinery during July at Miss E. Williams, south side city park.

Prof. William S. Nees, teacher of violin, cornet and piano. For terms write or call at 272 West Main street.

You will find the best carpets, latest and most desirable styles, and lowest prices at Linn & Scruggs' Dry Goods and Carpet Co.

Smoke the new Little Rose cigar.

Go to George P. Hart for all kinds of upholstering. Library block.

Henry Bros.' bakery is the place for a good meal or lunch. Bread delivered to any part of the city.

Ammonia in Bread Making.

This substance takes its name from the place where it was originally made, near the temple of Jupiter Ammon. It is one of the best known products of the laboratory. It is most easily obtained by the action of lime on sal ammoniac, or muriate of ammonia. The sal ammoniac and lime are heated together in a retort or iron pot, and by the action of the salts employed are raised into vapor and condensed again into earthen receivers. The carbonic acid of the chalk unites with the sal ammoniac, generating carbonate of ammonia.

A small quantity of this in the dough is acted on by the heat, and the thus liberated raises the mass, so as to produce the light, fluffy, flaky appearance desirable in bread and biscuit. When produced, and so long as it is kept from the action of the air, carbonate of ammonia is in hard, white, translucent masses, crystalline in appearance, with a pungent smell and sharp taste. If air is allowed to reach it, it gradually falls into powder and loses strength. Some of the best bakers always allow it to "slack" before using it, claiming that in its original state it does not work so satisfactory as after the action of the atmosphere upon it.

It is frequently called "hartshorn," from the fact that an impure carbonate of ammonia is sometimes obtained by the destructive distillation of deer horns and kindred substances. Among English bakers the common name for it is "volatile," descriptive of one of its characteristics. In English recipes it is frequently abbreviated to "vol." It is now said to be largely produced from coal tar, and great quantities of it are made in the United States.—Baker's Helper.

WORKING THE SHELL GAME.

Frank Burton Gets Five Dollars and Gets Into Jail.

While the wrecking trains of the Central and P. D. & E. were clearing up the wreck yesterday morning, a strange gambler, Frank Burton by name, began working his game on innocent residents or strangers who thought they could double their money at a man's own game. He had a barrel head for a table. Standing by the railroad near the main track, he passed a black button from one shell to another, always, it seemed, putting it where anyone could pick out the shell that covered it.

He must have had cappers in the crowd, for two fellows who bet, made considerable money, and soon had their hands full of bills, which they did not put away, but kept out in plain sight. After the proprietor had lost several times a young man offered to bet $2 to $4 that he could locate the button, and handed out a $5 bill to be changed. The manager saw a fish at once, but wanted the sucker to make it $5 to $10, saying it was against his principles to break a bill.

While they were talking about that part of the game, some one said: "Here comes a cop!" Officer Ed Leech had been down to look at the wreck and was coming back. As he neared the crowd Burton slipped through some freight cars and walking fast was soon up on the hill north of the waterworks. He forgot to hand back the $5 bill to the man about to bet.

The policeman stopped a minute, found out what was going on, and then started after Burton. He was then just beginning to run on the top of the hill. Will Johnson's buggy was there and Willis and the officer got in it and soon caught up with Burton. Nearing the end of the chase, Officer Leech fired his revolver twice in the air. Burton then threw up his hands and said "I surrender."

He was brought into the city and locked up in jail. When searched $33 and a gold watch were found on him. His preliminary examination began yesterday afternoon about 4 before Justice Curtis, with A. H. Mills prosecuting and C. C. Leforgee defending. The examination was not ended when court adjourned at 6. The case will be finished this morning.

The Encampment.

The last of the Sons of Veterans encampment at Oakland park was wound up yesterday and all left for home. The tents were taken down and shipped away. Thursday night no one was allowed to do much sleeping. A racket was kept up all night long. One party of officers and ladies finding that sleep was out of the question, gathered in a large tent and played cinch nearly all night. About 5 o'clock yesterday morning a big barbecue was announced by the colored company. They had cooked two dozen chickens, a young pig, and five dozen eggs, and provided large quantities of bread and other eatables. Everybody on the grounds were invited to partake of the feast. It was well prepared and enjoyed by quite a large company.

All the Sons left the city yesterday. A number, including some of the officers of the Ladies' Aid, had intended to go yesterday morning, but owing to the wreck, did not get away till last night.

Circuit Court

Judge Vail opened circuit court yesterday and listened all day to arguments in in the case of the Austin Powder company against the City Coal company. Peter Brueck as secretary of the company gave the Powder company power of attorney to confess judgement. The coal company now claims that Mr. Brueck exceeded his authority and now wants the judgment set aside. Attorneys Buckingham & Schroll and Outten & Page appeared for the coal company and Johns & Randolph and Lee & Gray appeared for the powder company. The lawyers talked all day, and had hardly finished when the time for adjournment came at night.

In the divorce case of Mary Morris vs Calvary Morris, a motion was made for an order to enter a decree, and the motion was allowed.

Higman Acquitted.

William Higman, the young man who drives the wagon for Hanks & Patterson, and was arrested for getting into E. C. Van Allen's woods pasture and picking two handfuls of berries, was discharged yesterday. He had a jury trial. The jurymen were R. J. Stratton, C. J. Loy, D. K. Pound, Harry Fisk, Pat Rebsamen and A. M. Corn. The attorney for the prosecution was C. C. Leforgee, and Higman was defended by Attorney J. M. Gray. It was shown that while Van Allen pointed a revolver at Higman, that young man not only had a revolver, but had a bigger one than Van Allen, though he did not point it at any one's face or make any threatening demonstration with it. He also abused Van Allen as much as Van Allen did him. The jury brought in a verdict of not guilty after being out 15 minutes.

Real Estate Transfers.

H. A. Wood to Abbie Swager, a lot on Hickory street, near Warren; $275.

M. Troutman to W. H. Cross, a tract in Niantic township; $1,050.

A. Shoemaker to Nettie Jimison, a lot on Sangamon street, near Jasper; $300.

Thomas A. Pritchett to Thomas J. Allen, a lot in Niantic; $125.

George F. Drobisch to Mary F. Newell, a lot on Clar street; $300.

L. W. Ermentrout to Mina Riebling, a lot on Broadway, near Clay; $700.

A Party for Miss Veale.

Miss Stacia Steele arranged a surprise party for Miss Nellie Veale last night. She is here from Chicago on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Veale. About 25 of her young friends came in unexpectedly and passed a pleasant evening with music and games of various kinds. Refreshments were served at 11.

Church Dedication.

Elder Hawes will go to Oconee today where he will on Sunday assist in the dedication of the Prairie College M. E. church of that place, which has just been completed. Rev. C. G. Wood, of the Decatur circuit, will also assist in the dedication. The church is a beautiful frame structure, which was built at an expense of about $2,000. Rev. J. E. Chapman is the pastor.

The Repertory.

During the engagement of the Ideals at Oakland park the following plays will be produced, replete with magnificent wardrobe, stage effects, &c; "Kathleen Mavourneen," "Original Sin," new; "Oath Bound," new; "Tracked Down," new; "Complicated Case," new; "Engaged;" W. S. Gilbert's "Ranch 10;" "Myrtle Ferns," &c.

Speak Up.

Those gentlemen who have promised to help out the G. A. R. boys on the Detroit expedition should speak up at once, and tell the Memorial hall officials what they will do. The committee has a great deal to do between now and Monday.

STRAY SCRAPS.

There are four cases of scarlet fever in Oakley.

Inspector Wiley inspected 23 cars of grain yesterday.

Picnics at Riverside park do not decrease in numbers.

Seven Macon young ladies have organized a tennis club.

Peter Laux arrived in Decatur yesterday from Chicago.

Rev. James Miller will dedicate a church at Ridge Farm tomorrow.

Dr. Swain was called to Bement yesterday on professional business.

J. H. Culver has just had an electric burglar and fire alarm put in his house by Ed Shaw.

Past Commander W. L. Distin and the Quincy members of the G. A. R. will go to Detroit on the Old Post One special.

On Monday Oscar Zimmerman, the plumber, will move his office into the new Chenoweth building on East William street.

A. J. Lumbroch, of Chicago, has come to Decatur to accept a position in Norman's barber shop. He will make this his home.

Leo J. Kadeski, who has lately gone on the road to travel in Iowa and Missouri for a Chicago house, will be in Decatur today.

The Wabash has postponed its Niagara Falls excursion on account of the heavy traffic to the G. A. R. encampment at Detroit.

E. A. Gliddon will build a $3,500 residence on his West William street lot, just west of Judge Nelson. W. O. McNabb has the contract.

Frank Remley's case came up before Justice Provost yesterday morning, but no one appeared to prosecute, and he was discharged.

A camping party composed of 10 young men and ladies will leave here today for Calamus lake below Niantic, where they will enjoy fishing and camp for a week.

Work at the furniture factory is being pushed. The dry house is nearly completed. The foundation for the engine is being laid. It is expected that the boilers will be got in next week.

Dr. T. B. Spalding has refused a very tempting inducement to take charge of the Riverside sanitarium at Hamilton, Ill., which was recently offered him by the board of that institution.

This has been a bad year for the Central. It used to be said that that road did not have wrecks. Now no road has so many. Can it be that Providence is avenging our grievance against the road on the depot score?

G. A. Duncan, general superintendent for C. A. Moses & Co., and a member of the firm, was in Decatur yesterday to see how the work on the court house was getting along. Mr. Moses is laid up at Chicago with erysipelas in his foot.

Dillon, a young man arrested here at the request of Sheriff Woollington of Piatt county, had his trial at Monticello this week. He was charged with stealing chickens, was found guilty, and was sentenced to two months in jail.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Potter died yesterday at Mowequa. Mr. Potter is a motorman on the Citizens line. Mr. and Mrs. James Tolley went from Decatur to attend the funeral, which was held yesterday afternoon.

C. W. Lisher, a balloonist now in the city, has been conferring with the management at Riverside park about an ascension. He at no time represented that he was going to make an ascension at Oakland park, and did not seek to obtain board on that ground.

When the band that furnishes music for the concerts at Riverside park went by on the dog cart on the streets and howled. The street cars a night or two ago a small yellow music all tried his feelings so badly that he could not stop howling for five minutes after the band was out of sight.

A Soldier Veteran was seen on the depot platform yesterday afternoon wearing a heavy blue overcoat with a cape. As the thermometer was about 90 in the shade there, it is likely that the son will never get warm enough to lay off his overcoat, no matter what the hereafter may have in store for him.

Architect R. L. Dickinson is now preparing plans for the new Gephart building on North Water street. It will have 56 feet frontage and be 100 feet deep. There will be two store rooms, one for groceries and the other for dry goods. It will be three stories high. The front will be of stone. Work will begin within a week.

Brooks Ferguson, Arthur Wilhelmy, Ulysses Garrett and Jake Long went to Macon yesterday. They only started to the junction. While out at the wreck they thought they would get on a passing freight and go to the junction. The freight did not stop there, and had not stopped when it was flying through Macon. They jumped off there. Some lit on their feet and some on their heads.

A half dozen boys, none over 8 years old, worked the weighing machine on the corner of Water and Main streets yesterday. A cent in the slot is all that is needed to work the scales. One boy got on the scales and put in a cent. Then before he stepped off another boy got on. The first one got off and the indicator stopped at the second boy's weight. Another got on before the second got off, and they kept that up till all were weighed.

The young people of Macon had a surprise Thursday night at the residence of Rev. W. H. Disley. If the young ladies who had charge of the ice cream were more familiar with the scriptures, they would probably know that putting new wine in old bottles is an unprofitable plan. They lost the ice cream through an accident to the freezer, which had been in service too long. That did not detract from the pleasure of the occasion, however, as all had a very delightful time.

A chicken car full of live chickens went through Decatur last night on the way from a Missouri town to New York. The car was built by the Pullman Car company especially for hauling chickens. From top to bottom it is divided into compartments about a foot high and four feet square. In the compartments are troughs for feed and water. They can be filled by the man who rides in the car. He has a little cubby hole to stay in at the center of the car. The car carries 8,000 chickens. It cost $3,500 complete, and the freight on that load to New York will be about $350.

Miss Bell Burrows is now the possessor of one of the neatest and most convenient turnouts in the city. It was given to her yesterday by Bering Burrows for a birthday present. The vehicle is of antique oak finish throughout, and is between a light driving wagon and a buckboard. It has a canopy top, and seats that can in a second be made three seats, two seats, or one seat, to suit the number it is intended to carry. The vehicle is handsome and of a style unlike anything in the city. It will be drawn by a thoroughbred of Bering Burrows' own raising.

The Presbyterian Christian Endeavor social at the residence of W. R. Scruggs last night was a pleasant social entertainment. It was largely attended. There was a new feature in the way of progressives games. In four different rooms games in which a great many could take part were played. Entering the first room, one would take part in the game there, and as soon as successful in the friendly contest would go to the second room, where a different game was played. Success there meant admission to the next room in order, and so on till the fourth room was passed. Then there was a fifth in which refreshments were served. During the evening Bering Burrows furnished music and George Mathews made an extemporaneous speech.

TRACK AND TRAIN.

I. H. Burgoon left last night for Toledo.

C. A. Holt was here yesterday from Amboy looking after the wreck.

Conductor Reynolds and Engineer Haag took the G. A. R. special through Decatur last night.

General Manager Hays and General Superintendent Magee, of the Wabash, have returned to St. Louis from a tour of inspection.

The Central Traffic association authorizes a one-fare-round-trip rate from points in Illinois for the firemen's tournament at Lincoln, Ill., Aug. 4.

The new time card on the Wabash is out. It takes effect tomorrow. The only change made is that Nos. 1 and 6 are made daily except Sunday, while they have been daily, and Nos. 4 and 5 are made daily, while they have been daily except Sunday.

No. 42 on the Wabash went through in two sections last night. It had a number of extra cars to accomodate the G. A. R. business. The baggage and passengers went on the first section. General Manager Magee's car 181, and the express and mail made up the second section.

The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad, on Thursday, started an excursion to Niagra Falls of 4,000 people in ten sections composed of 42 sleeping cars and 49 coaches, a total of 91 cars. It goes by the way of the Michigan Central from Cincinnatti. Many of the excursionists will visit the Grand Army meeting at Detroit on their return.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

LEAGUE.

Cincinnati, 4; Chicago, 8.
Pittsburg, 8; Cleveland, 7.
New York, 6; Brooklyn, 0.
Philadelphia, 2; Boston, 7.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

No other games.

A Memorial Hall Souvenir.

The Wabash come to the front in characteristic style by issuing a national memorial hall souvenir for distribution along its line and at Detroit. The whole pamphlet of 16 pages is given up almost exclusively to matter about the proposed memorial hall. Very little is said about the Wabash. The work is handsomely done, with a silver bronze cover, in commemeration of the silver anniversary. As 10,000 of these pamphlets will be distributed during the encampment they should result in giving the Memorial hall quite a boom. On the first page is a picture of Major B. F. Stephenson, founder of the order, on the second page is a picture of the birth place of the G. A. R. the building at 253 South Park street, on the next page is a fac simile of the charter of Post 1. Then follows the address of Commander-in-Chief Veazey, commending the hall to the comrades of the country, and the address of national and local committees on the subject. There are also pictures of the charter members.

Under the head of "Decatur and How to Get There," is this paragraph:

Decatur is the central city of the central state of the union. Decatur is the central point of the great Wabash system. All Wabash lines lead to Decatur. Over 32,000,000 people reside within 500 miles of Decatur. Within that area is produced nine-tenths of all the corn and over three fourths of all the small grain raised in the country; also the bulk of all the staple minerals, save tin, silver and gold."

Successful Surgical Operation.

On a cold day in the early spring while the scholars of the county school at Sangamon were warming themselves about the stove in the school room, one of the larger boys struck a dynamite cartridge on the edge of the hot stove. The cartridge exploded, pieces flying in all directions. The boy who struck the cartridge had the thumb of his right hand blown entirely off. A piece of the shell struck the eight year old son of James K. Wheeler, in the right eye, destroying the sight. A surgeon was called but all of the shell was not found, for the eyeball has been giving the little fellow some trouble of late. On account of the foreign matter in the right eye the left one has been highly irritated and there was danger of the sight being destroyed in this one also. Dr. S. J. Bumstead was called yesterday and he successfully removed the eye that has been causing the trouble and will in a few months replace it by a glass crystal.

Climate Changing.

An old settler yesterday, in conversation with a reporter declared that the climate of Illinois was undergoing a great change. Said he: "There is no denying the fact that our summers are growing colder and our winters warmer. The past two summers have been cool, and this one has seen the thermometer above 90 only once or twice. There is no more of the 100 degrees in the shade that formerly marked our summers.

"It is the same with the last two or three winters. It has only been below zero one or two days in each of these winters. Twenty below is getting out of style.

"This summer has been unusually cool so far. For days, at a time it has been below 80, and the past three days have been very cool for July. But, I presume, we shall be able to stand it."

Married at Macon.

Macon had a big wedding Thursday night. Miss Edith Meris was married to Frank Bromley at the home of her parents. The ceremony was performed at 5 p m. by Rev. W. F. Spruill on the lawn. Over 150 guests were present. The bride wore a handsome costume of blue henrietta. A magnificent supper was served. The young people will for the present make their home with the parents of the bride.

Prepared to Open the Campaign.

"Why, Cousin Jenny," said Captain Jinks, "what a beautiful complexion you have! You are the belle of the dance tonight."

"Yes, Tom, I agreed to furnish the powder if papa would provide the ball. My partners must furnish the arms."

"Oh, I see, and you expect to bring on an engagement."—Detroit Free Press.

THE ARIZONA KICKER.

A Few Side Remarks by the Editor of the Great Journal.

PERSONAL.—We never speak of ourself in the columns of our own paper when we can possibly avoid it. It is not in good taste for any editor of a great journal to do so. We shouldn't do so on this occasion if not forced to in order to set certain rumors at rest.

About a year ago Major A. Hoyt Dudley struck this town with his family. He subscribed for The Kicker and all went well for a time. He was made assistant county clerk, and it was not until he began to get drunk and light his cigars with deeds and mortgages that we had anything to say. He felt revengeful for our remarks, and in order to get even with us gave a grand party one night last week and cut us dead. Not only that, but he bragged of it, and so did his wife. The idea was to belittle and degrade us in a social way, but we don't think any one will try it on again. We telegraphed up to Joliet that the major was here, and day before yesterday he was taken back to serve out the other two years of his service. We understand that his wife is furious because we also learned that she used to perform in a beer hall concert in Philadelphia, but we can't help it. They set out to slay and got slayed, and must make the best of it. We never attack any one, but if stepped on we always seek to make it hot for the stepper.

A FEW PLAIN WORDS.—Being on this subject, and not wishing to refer to it again, we wish to say a few words to our home readers. The question is often asked: "Who is the leader of society in this town?" We desire to settle that question right here and now. We are. There isn't the slightest doubt that we are the only men in this town using perfumed soap, a toothbrush and having a white shirt which buttons behind. We are the only one, so far as we can learn, who has regular summer socks, eats with a fork or knows to what use to put a table napkin. We don't brag of these things. We were brought up that way, and it's perfectly natural. We are gentle and refined. No one ever saw us expectorate on the floor while dancing, and we don't want a bricklayer's trowel to eat ice cream with. We trust this will settle the question at once and forever.

THE OTHER SIDE.—We understand that Hank Curtis is telling everybody in town that we tried to murder him the other day because he refused to renew his subscription to The Kicker. There may be a few people in town who don't know that Hank is the greatest liar in Arizona, and for their benefit we will give our side of the story.

We met Hank on Apache avenue and told him that his subscription had expired. He claimed to be so hard up that he could not renew. We advised him to take less whisky and more Kicker, and he received it in a laughing, good natured way. We have a habit when talking with a man on the street of putting our hand on his shoulders and pushing him backward. It simply arises from our earnestness, and is generally understood that way. Hank, however, pretended that he thought we were going to assault him and he reached for his gun. Before he could get it we had him covered, and he gave us a dollar to renew his subscription and begged our pardon for being so hasty. That's all there was to it, and he is very silly to go around lying about the matter.

WE SHALL SEE.—We understand that the court house ring, which has vainly tried to use this paper as an organ, has declared that we shall never hold an office in this town. It may be proper for us, in view of this declaration, to define our position. We are fitted by nature and education to make the best mayor this town ever had or will have if we don't get it. We want the office. It properly belongs to us, because we have the dignity and education to grace it. If we were mayor and the governor came here he would be received in a manner to do him proud and to make our own people proud of its mayor. All our mayors for five years past have been a set of drunken and ignorant galoots whom every decent man was ashamed of. It is time for a change. It is time that a decent, honest man like us was put at the head of municipal affairs, and we say plainly that we mean to get there. If the ring sees fit to oppose us the members thereof must abide the consequences. As to the city printing, that will of course come to The Kicker, and there will also be considerable job work to be done; that, however, is of secondary importance. What the people want is a sober, honest, educated man—one even fit to grace the halls of congress or to hold down the chair of a governor. They have found such a man in us, and we shall be nominated and elected without doubt.—New York World.

More Than His Head Was in His Hat.

It was gusty on the North river yesterday morning, and most of the passengers who stood on the decks of the ferryboats held their fingers on the brims of their hats. One man on an Erie railroad boat clutched a last season's white hat firmly with both hands. The tile was so evidently a relic of the past that his extreme caution to prevent it being blown away aroused some ridicule, and as the refrain of "Where did you get that hat?" grew more marked and personal the owner angrily withdrew his hands, as though he might need them presently for another purpose. The next moment the old hat was in the river.

A burst of heartless laughter followed it as it floated away.

"Never mind, old man," cried a truck driver consolingly. "It was called in long ago."

"Mebbe so," said the bareheaded man savagely. "But the three months' commutation ticket from Paterson that was stuck in the band wouldn't have been called in until Oct. 1!"—New York Sun.

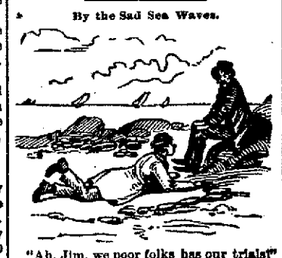
Don't Take It.

"There is one paper that will destroy the polish of any one it may come in contact with."

"Bless me, my good man, what is its name?"

"Sandpaper, madam."—Euchange.

By the Sad Sea Waves.



"Ah, Jim, we poor folks has our trials!"

"Yes, I's had a good many; but it ain't the trials what annoys me, it's the verdict they brings in arterward."—Life.

Lack of Reverence.

"Is young Mr. Gotham familiar with Browning in any degree?"

"Familiar?" repeated the Boston maid. "He's positively flippant."—Indianapolis Journal.

A Young Diplomat.

"Did you give your schoolmaster anything during the holidays?"

"Yes," said the bad little boy, "I gave him a bottle of lotion to soften his hands."—Epoch.

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